

**PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q63639

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Examiner: Guatam Patel

Filed: March 26, 2001

For: CARRIAGE SERVO APPARATUS, INFORMATION REPRODUCTION
APPARATUS AND CARRIAGE SERVO CONTROL METHOD

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of August 10, 2005, to December 10, 2005, which falls on a Saturday, making the new response date, December 12, 2005.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge statutory fee of \$120.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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